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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The arts don't exist in isolation." – David Byrne

"If we could but paint with the hand what we see with the eye." – Honore de Balzac

"Nothing is worth more than this day." – Goethe

"I arise in the morning torn between a desire to improve the world and a desire to enjoy the world. This makes it hard to plan the day." – E. B. White

"Facing it, always facing it, that's the way to get through. Face it." – Joseph Conrad

"A person without a sense of humor is like a wagon without springs. It's jolted by every pebble on the road." – Henry Ward Beecher

"I doubt that the imagination can be suppressed. If you truly eradicated it in a child, he would grow up to be an eggplant." – Ursula K. Le Guin

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Video: Cap Times Live featuring Natty Nation](#)
The Capital Times

[Art-N-Soul is a retail store and studio that inspires guests through art](#)
Fox 6 News

[Tyshun Wardlaw \('Growing Up Milwaukee' director\): 'We have to do something' about 'preserving the lives within the Black community' \[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO INTERVIEW\]](#)
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[A Brief But Spectacular take on dancing into old age](#)
PBS NewsHour

[This Beethoven flashmob in a historic German city will remind you of the pure joy of music](#)
Classic FM

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW [Hudson's John Potter appointed to Wisconsin Arts Board for third term](#)
Hudson Star-Observer

NEW [National Endowment for Arts Announces Second Round of Grants for FY 2021](#)
National Endowment for the Arts

The Wisconsin Arts Board thanks the National Endowment for the Arts for its support and continued partnership, and congratulates its fellow award recipients: **Black Arts MKE**, Milwaukee; **City of Madison, Wisconsin**; **Feast of Crispian**, Milwaukee; **Irish Festivals, Inc** (CelticMKE), Milwaukee, **Madison Museum of Contemporary Art**; **Madison Public Library Foundation**; **Madison Symphony Orchestra**; **Ko-Thi Dance Company**, Milwaukee; **Lake Superior Big Top Chautauqua**, Washburn; **Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra**; **Opera for the Young**, Madison; **Wisconsin Conservatory of Music**, Milwaukee; **Woodland Pattern Book Center**, Milwaukee.

NEW [Americans for the Arts Publishes Inclusive Creative Economy Glossary and Website](#)
Americans for the Arts

NEW [The Diversity of Performing Arts Audiences: Weighing Organizational Factors and Business Decisions](#)
National Endowment for the Arts Blog

NEW [Actors Fund surveys theater, entertainment workers on impact of pandemic](#)
Broadway News

Also

NEW [Actors Fund Study Details Devastating Impact of COVID-19 on Entertainment](#)

Industry
Variety

NEW The Diversity of Performing Arts Audiences: Weighing Organizational Factors and Business Decisions

National Endowment for the Arts Blog

NEW Wisconsin Nonprofit Compensation & Benefits Survey

Helen Bader Institute for Nonprofit Management | UWM

Fill this survey out through June 25

NEW NCN Articles of Interest | May 14, 2021

National Creativity Network

Wisconsin Artists and Arts Organizations: Participate in the New COVID-19 Impact Surveys Today! (links below)

Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief

COVID-19 Impact Survey for Organizations

COVID-19 Impact Survey for Artists

2021 Marketplace Re-opening Materials

Covering Wisconsin

Need health insurance but don't know where to turn? Covering Wisconsin can help.

Shuttered Venue Operators Grants - FAQ (sba.gov)

US Small Business Administration

More information on the Shuttered Venue Operators Grants (SVOG) can be found on the SBA website: Shuttered Venue Operators Grant (sba.gov).

Shuttered Venue Operators Grant Eligibility Requirements

SBA.gov

Shuttered Venue Operators Grant Preliminary Application Checklist (sba.gov)

SBA.gov

Archived Webinar: Shuttered Venue Operators Grant Overview

US Small Business Administration

Summary: Save Our Stages Act

National Independent Venue Association

TIP from SBA: "As the SBA works on building the application platform, it would be in your best interest to register for a DUNS number and then register in the System for Award Management (SAM.gov). Also, gather documents that demonstrate your number of employees and monthly revenues so you can calculate the average number of qualifying employees you had over the prior 12 months. Lastly, determine

the extent of gross earned revenue loss you experienced between 2019 and 2020. This and additional information such as floor plans, contract copies and other evidence will be needed to apply for an SVOG.”

[ANALYSIS: COVID-19's Impacts on the Arts and Culture](#)
COVID-19 RSFLG Data and Assessment Working Group

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

Job Opportunities

[Job Opportunity | Environment Designer](#)

PBS Wisconsin

Deadline: May 21

[Job Opportunity | Administrative Officer](#)

Wisconsin Humanities | UWSA Human Resources

Deadline: May 23

NEW [Job Opportunity | Preservation & Facilities Manager](#)

Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts

Deadline to receive priority consideration: May 28

NEW [Job Opportunity | Program Manager](#)

Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts

Deadline to receive priority consideration: May 28

[Job Opportunity | Community Engagement Coordinator](#)

Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Corporate Relations Specialist](#)

John Michael Kohler Arts Center

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Director of Finance](#)

Milwaukee Rep

Deadline: Until Filled

[Special Events Manager | First Stage](#)

Big Shoes Network

Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Gallery Manager](#)

Eckels Pottery and Fine Craft Gallery

Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | VP of Marketing, Communications and Visitor Experience](#)

Milwaukee Public Museum

Until Filled

[Arts and Culture Career Specialist](#)

Carthage College

Deadline: Until Filled

[Opera for the Young Operations Manager](#)

Opera for the Young

Until Filled

[Managing Director, Strategic National Arts Alumni Project](#)

University of Texas at Austin (Remote Position)

Deadline: Until Filled

[Careers](#)

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Deadline: Various

[Development and Engagement Manager](#)

Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass

Deadline: Until Filled

[Join the Board](#)

AIGA Wisconsin

Deadline: Until Filled

[Board Treasurer | Master Singers of Milwaukee](#)

Jobs That Help

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Director of Programs](#)

Arts@Large

Deadline: Until Filled

[Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass](#)

The QTI Group

Deadline: Until Filled

[Member Services Associate](#)

Museum of Wisconsin Art

Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

[23 movies you should check out at the 2021 Milwaukee Film Festival, which is all-online \(yes, again\)](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
Through May 20

Business of Art Workshops
Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts
Through May 23

Opera Conference 2021
Opera America
Through May 27 | Virtual Event

Virtual Summit | Mark Your Calendars!
Wisconsin Rural Partners
Through June 2

NEH Virtual Grant Workshops
National Endowment for the Humanities
Through June 3

All In Productions Announces Non-Equity Diversity General Auditions
Urban Milwaukee
Through June 13

2001 Wisconsin Film Festival
Wisconsin Film Festival
May 13 – 20

NEH Offers ARP Relief Funding for Economic Recovery for Cultural and Educational Institutions
National Endowment for the Humanities
Deadline: May 14 | American Rescue Plan: Humanities Organizations
Deadline: May 13 | American Rescue Plan: Humanities Grantmaking

Webinar: The New National WWI Memorial
The Doughboy Foundation
May 14

An insider tour of the new National WWI Memorial in Washington, D.C. for tour guides, travel planners, volunteers and interested visitors

Blue Star Museums Nationwide Offer Free Admission to Military Families
National Endowment for the Arts
May 15 – September 6

Also
Museum of Wisconsin Art offers free admission to military personnel and their families this summer

Washington County Insider
May 15 – September 6

Click on [this map](#) to find participating Blue Star Museums in Wisconsin and across the nation.

Wisconsin Historical Society Seeks Artists for Second Phase of COVID-19 Poster Project
Wisconsin Historical Society
Deadline: May 15

Pro Bono Consultation In Support Of Organizations Focused On Social Cohesion Through The Arts
Devos Institute for Arts Management at the University of Maryland
Deadline: May 17

2021 Musical Theater Songwriting Challenge Opens for Submissions
National Endowment for the Arts
Deadline: May 17

NEW Call for Curators: 2022 Wisconsin Triennial
Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
Deadline: May 17

GATHER ROUND SERIES | Nurturing the Rural Ecosystem
Arts Midwest
May 20

NEW 'Summer Tourism Outlook: How will Wisconsin take advantage of a post-pandemic visitor surge'
WisBusiness.com
May 20

Call for Proposals!
Arts Education Partnership
Deadline: May 21

Hip Hop in the Heartland
Professional Learning and Community Education | UW-Madison
May 22

#AAM2021 Registration is open
American Alliance of Museums
May 24 and June 7 - 9 | Virtual

Visual Arts & Media Arts Community Conversation Registration
National Guild for Community Arts Education
May 25

NEW Public Art: Exploring the Possibilities

Wisconsin Arts Board and Arts Wisconsin

May 27, 10-11 am CT

Poetry Out Loud National Finals Broadcast May 2 and 27, 2021 at Arts.gov

National Endowment for the Arts

May 27 | Poetry Out Loud National Finals

Creative Aging Community Conversation Registration

National Guild for Community Arts Education

May 27

NEW Public Art Regional Workshop - Waupaca

Waupaca Community Arts Board, Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and Wisconsin Main Street

June 3

NEW Public Art Regional Workshop - Janesville

Downtown Janesville, Inc., Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and Wisconsin Main Street

June 4

League of American Orchestras 76th National Conference

League of American Orchestras

June 7 – 17 | Virtual Event

2021 Annual Convention

Americans for the Arts

June 8 – 11

AACTFest 2021

American Association of Community Theatre

June 14 – 20 | Virtual

The Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference

P3C

June 17 - 18 | San Diego

2021 International Thespian Festival

International Thespian Society

June 22 – 25 | Virtual Event

POSTPONED 2020 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 2021 | Milwaukee

Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives

Nō Studios

- **Film** - Applications must be received by **July 17, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected by October 1, 2021
- **Other Creative Professionals** (Theater/Dance/Performance/Spoken Word/Fashion) - Applications must be received by **December 10, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected in February 2022.

John Ridley Launches Nō Studios Artist Grant Program to Help Wisconsin's Creatives During the Pandemic
Milwaukee Independent

2021 AATE National Conference
American Alliance for Theatre Education
July 21 – 25 | Virtual Event

Play Make Learn
Professional Learning and Community Education (PLACE)
August 5 – 6

2021 NDEO Virtual National Convention
National Dance Education Organization
October 7 – 10 | Virtual Event

Statewide Diversity Conference to Be Held in Eau Claire
Volume One Magazine
October 12 – 13

2021 Wisconsin Science Festival
Wisconsin Science Festival
October 21 – 24

Save the NEW Date!
Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference
October 28 – 29 | San Diego

Announcing the GIG Fund
Arts Midwest
Deadline #2: November 3 for projects happening January through June, 2022

Sharing Stories: The Case for Art
Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities
November 3 - 5 | Online

Conference proposals are due by May 21.

CODAsummit: The Intersection of Art, Technology and Place
CODAworx
November 10 – 12 | Scottsdale, AZ & Virtual

2022 Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism (no link)
Wisconsin Department of Tourism
March 13 – 15, 2022

Online Workshops and Conversations
Creative Capital
Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Emma Pryde on the Aesthetics of Innocence
ARTnews

Arts, Health, and Well-Being Across The Military Continuum: White Paper 2.0— 2020 and Beyond
National Initiative for Arts & Health Across the Military | Americans for the Arts

GOP leader says no to more funding for Wisconsin Black Historical Society, says people can look at obscure display in Capitol
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Also
Budget committee votes on funding for Veterans Affairs, declines funding for Black Historical Society
La Crosse Tribune

Budget hearing comments 'racist,' Wisconsin lawmaker says
Fox 6 Now

The Untold Story of the NFT Boom
The New York Times Magazine

Arts and Creativity in Education

A look inside the new Kiel Performing Arts Center
WLUK

Miller Art Museum Celebrates Artistic Accomplishments of Door Peninsula Youth in Virtual '47th Annual Salon of Door County High School Art
Miller Art Museum

Fontana Elementary to build fab lab, thanks to \$25K grant
Lake Geneva Regional News

Community Arts

[Date Set for Milwaukee to Return to a 'Version of Normal' \(June 15\)](#)
Milwaukee Magazine

Also
[What Will Milwaukee's Post-Pandemic Normal Look Like?](#)
Milwaukee Magazine

[ICYMI: 10 Priorities for Advancing Racial Equity Through the American Rescue Plan](#)
Grantmakers in the Arts

Folk Arts/Folklife

[Milwaukee-area Muslim community celebrates Eid al-Fitr, end of Ramadan with outdoor festival, fun for children](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Wisconsin Poet Laureate Slated to Speak at Toward One Wisconsin Conference](#)
Volume One Magazine

[Jose Hernandez Diaz | Almost Buried](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Podcast E.155: Steve Dayton, Jason Anderson, Alex Spiegel | Movie "glVE"](#)
La Crosse Local

[Sundance Film Festival Sets 2022 Dates for In-Person, Online Hybrid Event](#)
Variety

Performing Arts

Dance

[What Does the SAG-AFTRA Influencers Agreement Mean for Dancers?](#)
Dance Magazine

[How American Ballet Theatre principal James Whiteside is revolutionizing dance](#)
Fast Company

Music

[Madison Jazz Society Is Set To Dissolve](#)
89.9 WORT FM

[Recording Academy Officially Names Harvey Mason jr. as President/CEO](#)
Variety

Presenting

[Easing restrictions spurs Milwaukee-area festivals to re-evaluate summer events](#)
TMJ4 Milwaukee

Theater

[As Broadway Plans Its Return, 'Hamilton' Will Require Vaccines Backstage](#)
The New York Times

[London's West End Set to Return in Stages After COVID-Devastated Year](#)
Variety

Other

[The Joyce Foundation Unveils New Grantmaking Strategy](#)
Grantmakers in the Arts

[Do we know how changing prices affects the income-diversity of audiences?](#)
For What It's Worth | ArtsJournal.com

[5 Consultant-Approved Strategies for Capital Campaigns in 2021](#)
NonProfit Pro

[How to Write Power Stories, Part 1](#)
NonProfit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Arts and Creativity in Education

[A New Look for Mount Mary's Fashion Show](#)
Milwaukee Magazine
May 14

Madison Shakespeare Company Auditions
Isthmus
May 24, 25

[Upcoming Events](#)
UW-Madison Division of the Arts
Various

Events Calendar

UW-Madison News

Various

Upcoming Events

Peck School of the Arts | UWM

Various

Community Arts

Wisconsin Dells opens immersive pop up art exhibit

Wisconsin Dells Events

Now Open

Octoberfest, other Fox Valley events to be held in-person

WLUK

Various

Milwaukee Makers Market Returns

Entertainment at a Distance | Urban Milwaukee

Various

Arts & Culture

Madison Magazine

Various

Literary Arts/Libraries

ONLINE: Lyndsey Ellis

Isthmus

June 3

Media Arts

A Wisconsin Film Festival shorts extravaganza!

Tone Madison

Through May 20

Dipping Into Eaux Claires' Waters: New Doc Explores Roots of Valley's Musical Culture

Volume One Magazine

May 20

Where you can find free outdoor movies in the Milwaukee area this summer (and where you can still find drive-in movies)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Various

Performing Arts

Music

Concert to Honor Local Motown Alumnus Jon Pierre Gee

Urban Milwaukee

May 14

OPPORTUNITIES

Call for Artwork

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College

Monthly Review

Art Business Accelerator Grant

Artwork Archive

Deadline: May 14

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National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: May 14 | American Rescue Plan: Humanities Organizations

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Artspire calls artists to compete in 'Inspired by La Crosse' contest

News8000.com

Deadline: May 15

Sculpture Walk | 2021 Application

Downtown De Pere's Sculpture Walk

Deadline: May 15

Pro Bono Consultation in Support of Organizations Focused on Social Cohesion Through the Arts

DeVos Institute of Arts Management at the University of Maryland

Deadline: May 15

Call to All Area Artists | 1st Historic Wabeno Art Challenge

Friends of Wabeno

Deadline: May 15

WNA Foundation launches editorial writing, cartoon contest celebrating First Amendment

Wausau Pilot & Review

Deadline: May 15

Ragdale Accepting Applications for Artist Fellowships

PND by Candid

Deadline: May 15

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NEW Call for Curators: 2022 Wisconsin Triennial
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Deadline: May 17

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National Endowment for the Arts
Deadline: May 17

The Hopper Prize Invites Applications From Visual Artists
PND by Candid
Deadline: May 18

The 2021 application is now open | Arts Writers Grant
The Andy Warhol Foundation
Deadline: May 19

Sculpture Park opens submissions
Stevens Point News
Deadline: May 21

Art on the Trailway
Greater Greenwood (IN) Arts Council
Deadline: May 28

WEDC: Bring big ideas to life downtown
WisBusiness
Deadline: May 28

Reese Witherspoon launches fellowship for women writers
Bizwomen
Deadline: May 30

Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Sturgeon Bay's Miller Art Museum announces residency program
WeAreGreenBay.com
Deadline: May 31

2021 CODAawards
CODAworx
Deadline: May 31

Prairie Ronde Invites Applications for Fall Artists Residencies
PND by Candid
Deadline: June 1

American Players Theater seeks playwrights for development program aimed at creating tomorrow's classics

Madison 365

Deadline: June 1

Got an Idea For a New Mural? Submit Your Design to ColorBlock Through June 1

Volume One Magazine

Deadline: June 1

PEN America Invites Applications for PEN/Heim Translation Fund

PND by Candid

Deadline: June 1

Donald Keene Center of Japanese Culture Invites Applications for Japanese Literature Translation Awards

PND by Candid

Deadline: June 1

PEN America Invites Applications for Jean Stein Grant for Literary Oral History

PND by Candid

Deadline: June 1

PEN America Invites Applications for PEN/Phyllis Naylor Grant for Children's and Young Adult Novelists

PND by Candid

Deadline: June 1

Queering the Cream City

SaveArtSpace.org

Deadline: June 7

Call for Artists | Everything COVID

Overture Center for the Arts

Deadline: June 14

Design Competition Launched for New Cold War Vets in Somers, WI

Chicago, IL Patch

Deadline: June 15

Alien Invasion: RAM Virtual Community Art Show

Racine Art Museum

Deadline: June 28

NEW Call for Art | Marking Lives COVID-19

Elizabeth Awalt | #markinglivescovid19

Deadline: July 1

Funding Opportunity: NEH and UK Arts and Humanities Research Council Support Digital Innovation

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: July 8

RFQ: Main Street Art Project

City of Waupaca

Deadline: July 12

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UW–Madison Division of the Arts Announces a major change to the Interdisciplinary Arts Residency Program

UW-Madison Division of the Arts

Deadline: September 13

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Do you want people throughout Wisconsin to know about your upcoming arts events or opportunities? Then enter your calendar information on Portalwisconsin.org. Portalwisconsin.org is an online resource, to search, schedule, and discover Wisconsin's arts, culture, humanities, and history. The site features a calendar, searchable options by interest area and geographic regions, digital media, classes, chats, and monthly highlights.

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